

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the current title with the following:

PREPARATION OF TETRAHYDROFURAN COPOLYMERS

On page 1, immediately following the title, please add the following new section:

--CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

The present application is a National Stage application of PCT/EP2003/014284, filed December 16, 2003, which claims priority from German Patent Application No. DE 102 59 136.9, filed December 18, 2002.--